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REPORT

OF THE

U. S. LAND COMMISSION.

November 30, 1904.

REPORT.

OFFICE OF U. S. LAND COMMISSION
FOR THE TERRITORY OF NEW MEXICO,
Santa Fe, N. M., Dec. 1, 1904.

To His Excellency, Miguel A. Otero, Governor of the Territory of New Mexico.

SIR. I have the honor to submit herewith the following report of the United States Land Commission for the two years ending November 30, 1904.

This United States Land Commission was provided for in the act of congress of June 21, 1898, and consists of the Governor of New Mexico, the United States surveyor general and the solicitor general of the territory.

Meetings have been regularly held on the first Monday of each month, also numerous special meetings held at call of chairman when business demanded.

The following amount of land has been selected and located on the ground on the several United States land districts, by Mr. David M. White, the locating agent of the commission, by direction of the commission, for the benefit of the different territorial institutions, since Nov. 30, 1904.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS AT THE CAPITAL.

Date.	U. S. Land District.	Acreage.
Dec. 1, 1902.	Roswell,	14,731.36
Apr. 13, 1903.	Roswell,	15,621.96
Feb. 2, 1903.	Clayton,	160.
Oct. 3, 1904.	Clayton,	44.59
		30,953.91

UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO:

Date.	U. S. Land District.	Acreage.
Dec. 1, 1902.	Roswell,	13,734.80

Dec. 24, 1902.	Las Cruces,	18,863 23
Feb. 2, 1903.	Clayton,	1,040.
June 15, 1903.	(Saline) Roswell,	1,004.47
		34,642 50

INSANE ASYLUM.

Date	U. S. Land District.	Acreage.
Feb. 2, 1903.	Clayton,	120.

AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE.

Date.	U. S. Land District.	Acreage.
Dec. 1, 1902.	Roswell,	14,458.90
Dec. 24, 1902.	Las Cruces,	1,962 79
Feb. 2, 1903.	Clayton,	7,150.89
April 13, 1903.	Roswell,	400.
May 4, 1903.	Las Cruces,	3,823.99
		27,796.57

SCHOOL OF MINES.

Date.	U. S. Land District.	Acreage.
Feb. 2, 1903.	Clayton,	880.

DEAF AND DUMB ASYLUM.

Date.	U. S. Land District.	Acreage.
Feb. 2, 1903.	Clayton,	2,840.

REFORM SCHOOL.

Date.	U. S. Land District.	Acreage.
Feb. 2, 1903.	Clayton,	720.

NORMAL SCHOOLS.

Date.	U. S. Land District.	Acreage.
Feb. 2, 1903.	Clayton,	2,400.

MINERS' HOSPITAL.

Date.	U. S. Land District.	Acreage.
Feb. 2, 1903.	Clayton,	2,600.23

MILITARY INSTITUTE.

Date.	U. S. Land District.	Acreage.
Feb. 2, 1903.	Clayton,	1,080.

PENITENTIARY.

Date.	U. S. Land District.	Acreage.
Feb. 2, 1903,	Clayton,	1,800.

The following land was selected by this Commission on requisition of the Irrigation Commission:

IMPROVEMENT OF THE RIO GRANDE IN NEW MEXICO.

Date.	U. S. Land District.	Acreage.
Sept. 7, 1903.	Roswell,	33,712.20
Jan. 4, 1904.	Santa Fe,	5,874.27
June 6, 1904.	Santa Fe,	1,040.
		40,626.47

WATER RESERVOIRS FOR IRRIGATING PURPOSES.

Date.	U. S. Land District.	Acreage.
June 19, 1903.	Las Cruces,	28,524.19
Aug. 3, 1903.	Roswell,	19,993.41
Nov. 2, 1903.	Clayton,	36,449.72
Dec. 7, 1903.	Clayton,	40,047.18
Jan. 4, 1904.	Roswell,	20,001.32
Feb. 1, 1905.	Roswell,	33,451.46
Feb. 1, 1904.	Clayton,	6,032.
April 4, 1904.	Clayton,	18,879.59
April 4, 1904,	Roswell,	2,720.67
June 6, 1904.	Clayton,	280.
June 6, 1903.	Santa Fe,	2,672.90
July 5, 1904.	Clayton,	12,318.44
		221,370.98

RECAPITULATION.

Land Selected Since November 30, 1902.

Institution.	Acreage.
Public Buildings at the Capital	30,953.91
University of New Mexico	34,642.50
Insane Asylum	120.
Agricultural College	27,796.57
School of Mines	880.
Deaf and Dumb Asylum	2,840.
Reform School	720.

Normal Schools	2,400.
Miners' Hospital	2,600.23
Military Institute	1,080.
Penitentiary	1,800.
Improvement of the Rio Grande in New Mexico	40,626.47
Water reservoirs for irrigating purposes	221,370.98
Total	367,830.66

The character of this land is almost entirely dry grazing land, although there has been about 6,000 acres of timber land selected.

DISBURSEMENTS.

The following disbursements have been made from the contingent fund of the U. S. Land Commission since March 17, 1903, which were paid upon warrant of the Territorial Auditor, in accordance with Council Bill No. 113; Approved March 17, 1903.

Allowance to Solicitor General Bartlett for part payment of expense of two trips to Washington in interest of commission	$ 150 00
Allowance made to D. M. White, locating agent, towards office rent from April 1, 1903, to Nov. 30, 1904	150 00
One new No. 7 Remington typewriter	100 00
One roll top office desk	65 99
Freight on same	11 56
One flat top typewriter desk	28 50
Freight on same	4 93
Stamped envelopes, stationery, P. O. box rent and office supplies	101 40
Clerk's salary from April 13, 1903, to Nov. 30, 1904	883 87
Total	$1,496 25

Respectfully submitted.

A. M. LEESON,
Clerk U. S. Land Commission.